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Ms. Debbie Pietrzak Bureau of Land Management Dixie Resource Area 225 North Bluff Street St. George, Utah 84770

Dear Ms. Pietrzak:

Re: Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Ash Creek #1 & #2 Sandstone Project, S/053/036, Washington County, Utah

Thank you for forwarding the Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations for Eugene Hodges, Ash Creek #1 & #2 Project, located in the SW/4 of Section 10, T41S, R13W, Washington County, Utah. Your agency's designated number for this project is UTU-71139.

This letter is to inform you that the Division has evaluated the above mentioned Notice of Intent for completeness. The Notice does meet the requirements of Rule R647-3 of the 1988 Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Minerals Rules, and Title 40-8, et seq., of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975.

It is understood that your office, acting as "Lead Agency" will notify the operator accordingly. Please provide us with a final copy of your completeness letter to the operator.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you receive further information or amendments for this operation, please notify us so we will be able to update our files. Please reference our designated file number S/053/036 when forwarding additional information on this project to us.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg Permit Supervisor

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